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THEATRE ROYAL.
TUESDAY Evening, August 3. 1784, will be presented,
The COMEDY of The
FERRY WIVES OF WINDSOR.
Mr HENDERSON;
Sir John Falstaff, Mr Sutherland; Doctor Calus,
Shallow, Mr Davis; Slender, Mr Wilmot-Wells; Sir Hugh Evans, Mr
Sparks; Mr Page, Mr Bell; Host of the Garter, Mr Smith; Pistol,
Charteris; Fenton, Mr Bell; Host of the Garter, Mr Smith; Pistol,
Charteris; Peter Simple, Mr Tannett; Bardolph, Mr J. Bland;
Mr Hallion, Mr Bland, jun.; Robin, Master Charteris;
Jack Rugby, Mr Bland, jun.; Robin, Master Charteris;
And Mr Ford, Mr WOODS.
Mrs Page, Mrs WOODS;
Ann Page, Mrs Mills; Mrs Quickly, Mrs Charteris;
And Mrs Ford, Mrs SPARKS.
End of ACT II. a HORNEPIPE by Mrs TANNETT.
To which will be added, the Dramatic Romance of
C Y M O N.
Written by the late Mr Garrick.
Cymon, Mr TANNETT;
Polixenes (with a Song in character) Mr CHARTERIS;
And Linceo, Mr HALLION.
Fatima, Mrs SPARKS;
Urgando, Mrs WILMOT-WELLS;
And Sylvia, Mrs BADDELEY.
The Doors to be opened at Half past Five, and begin precisely at Half
past Six.
TICKETS to be had, and places for the Boxes taken, of Mr GIRA,
at the Office of the Theatre.

ST CECILIA'S HALL.
TUESDAY the 3d August next is appointed for
SIG. STABILINI'S CONCERT.
ACT I. New Overture, by Starker.—Aria, "Sento che il cor guer-
riero." Signora Corri.—Violino Solo. Signior Stabilini.
ACT II. Concerto. Mr Schetty.—Aria, Ricordati with Piana Forte.
Signor Corri.—Trio with the Mandolino Obligato. Signior Stabi-
lini.—Rondeau, "Ah non fai qual pena fia." Signora Corri.
ACT III. Concerto, Signior Stabilini, in which is introduced the
Scottish song "Lochaber."—Duet, "Come partir puo io." Sig-
and Signora Corri.—Overture. Hyden.
N. B. The Hall will be illuminated.
To begin at half past Six o'clock.
Tickets (price 3s.) to be had at Sig. Stabilini's, Bridge-street, and at
Corri and Sutherland's Music-shop.

JOSIAH MAXTON, SADDLER,
At the Golden Horse, Edinburgh.

TAKES the liberty to inform
his Friends and the Public,
that he has on hand a neat and
fashionable assortment of Saddlery
Goods; and he can with truth as-
sure the public, that every article
in the saddlery branch is to be had
at his shop, equal in quality to any
offered for sale in this country, not-
withstanding what has been asserted
by others in a late advertisement.
He returns his grateful acknowledgements to the Noblemen, Gentle-
men, and others, who have hitherto favoured him with their employ-
ment; and he hopes for the continuance thereof, as they may depend
upon being regularly served on the best terms.

THE SADDLERY WAREHOUSE,
Sign of the SADDLE-TREE and CAP,
First Stair below the Flesh-market Clofe,
FROM whence the Nobility, Gentry, and Public, have long been
supplied so much to their satisfaction, is continued by THOMAS
JOHNSTON, (successor to Mr Brown Saddler, Cap and Harness-maker,
and Saddlers Ironmonger), whose stock of goods is very large and well
assorted, taking in the utmost variety in these branches, of the most
approved make, and newest patterns, being almost weekly supplied with
the best materials that can be procured from the principal markets in
Britain.
Side Saddles, with fast or shifting heads, from the plainest to the
most elegant kinds; Ladies Pads, and Foot-cloths for ditto; silk or
thread Nets for horses; Mens Saddles of all sorts; Stirrups, Bridles,
and Martingales of all constructions; Military Furniture, and elegant
Decks; Regimental Saddles, Bridles, and Caps to any uniform; Whips
soon made to any pattern, or repaired in the neatest manner, and good
old stocks fresh covered, and finished as if new; London-made Whips
in great variety, from Two Shillings to Two Guineas value; Spurs,
plated or steel, plain, elastic, case-hardened or patent, with joined necks;
Grantham, and all other Boot Garters, with balloon or other buckles;
portable Boot Garters; Breaking Tackle; Hunting and Fowling Tackle;
Saddle Bags, all sizes; Coat Cases; hard or soft Portmanteaus, and
travelling Trunks of all sizes, and strong Luggage Straps; Race Saddles
and Caps; Horse Cloaths, Sweaters and Rollers; white and coloured
Swandkin; pollin and hogg Sciffars, Fleems, and Pickers; Livery Fu-
nitures of Leather or Cloth, with silver, plated, or embroidered Letters
and Coronets, or ditto Crests and Mottos; Chaise Rugs, Mops, Ham-
mers, Nippers, Rubbers, Spunges and Budget Locks; Stable Furniture
every article; Hair Cloth; Hemp Shoes for Horses; Rope for Halters,
9 or 12 threads; Brushes of all kinds whatever; Saddle, and large
Heath-Rugs; Spunges, all sizes; Curry Combs, Mane and Tail Combs;
Hound Slips; Dog Couples, ditto with Spring Swivels, Dog Collars,
Muzzles, Whips, Ivory Curls, Collars and Chains, twitted, or open
linked; Sword Belts; Rolling Leather Cases for Razors, Combs,
&c.—Soft Leather flat Hats for travelling; Rupture Bandages; Posing
and Jockey Belts; Pocket Books, and Cases to any pattern, with steel
or plated locks; and many fancy articles.
Caps of real Genoa, best Silk or Cotton Velvet; Crown Chain Tra-
ces, Ridgewoods, and every article of Cart Harness, with the best im-
provements; Screws, Tacks, Nails, Brass Nails, Baked Hair, London
Glue; Bed and Chair Girthing; Belts and Straps, and Buckles for dit-
to, all kinds. Oil Cloth for covering trunks, &c.
Saddlers and Harness-makers served wholesale as usual, with most ar-
ticles and tools necessary in their professions, on low terms, ready money.
Foreign orders for Saddlery, suitable to any country, executed with
expedition.
ELASTIC SADDLES (or any other expensive Toy) furnished on the
shortest notice; ditto, with whalebone bars in place of wood; or ditto
without a tree, if required.
To be SET for twenty-one years, and entered to at Whitunday, and
separation of Crop 1785,

THE Farm of MIDDLESTOTS, consisting of
about 245 acres, in the parish of Edrom and thire of Berwick.
The land is of good quality, well inclosed, and subdivided. Any per-
son wishing a larger farm, can, in three years, be accommodated with
another, conveniently adjoining Middlestots, of about 167 acres, fine
soil, and also well inclosed and subdivided.
Apply to Archibald Swinton of Kimmerham, Esq; the proprietor, or
James Veatch, tenant in Merfington;
George Fyfe, gardener at Kimmerham, will show the lands.

NEW SADDLERY WARE
At the Running Horse, Bridge Street, Edinburgh.
HUMBLE AND OLIVER beg leave to inform the Public, that
they have opened an elegant Ware-room in Bridge Street, where
they mean to offer for sale, a more complete assortment of articles in
the Saddlery Business than was ever exhibited in this country. They
can, with the more confidence, give this intimation, as one of the
partners has been lately in the principal manufacturing towns in Eng-
land, from whence he has brought a choice assortment of goods, not
only in point of fashion, but of superior workmanship to any ever ex-
posed to sale in this city.
As one of the partners has been for some years past in the most con-
siderable shops in London, where, he flatters himself, he has acquired
the most approved methods of working; and, as the other partner
has had very extensive practice in this country, they hope to give uni-
versal satisfaction to their employers.
They recommend, in a particular manner, their ELASTIC SAD-
DLES, as made in London under sanction of his Majesty's Patent,
not only as being more easy and advantageous to the rider (whether la-
dy or gentleman) but equally so to the horse. They apprehend, they
cannot recommend these Saddles more strongly, than by observing, that
in England their sale has been uncommonly rapid, and that they have
met with universal approbation from the gentlemen of the turf.
N. B. To avoid imposition, it is necessary to intimate, that these
ELASTIC SADDLES cannot be had in any other shop in Scotland, the
method of making them being only known to one of the partners,
who has practised under the patent.—Orders for exportation from
merchants and others executed with the greatest dispatch, and upon
terms the most reasonable.
A Journeyman wanted.

CASKS FOR SALE.
TO be SOLD by auction at Gibb's Coffeehouse in Leith, on Tues-
day next, the 3d of August, between the hours of twelve and
one o'clock afternoon.
A large Parcel of Iron-bound CASKS, consisting of Butts, Puncheons,
Hogsheads, and Barrels.
The casks will be shown, by applying to Mr John Thomson, junior,
agent victualler, Leith, until the day of sale.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
SUCH as have claims against the Heirs of the deceased JOHN CRAW
wright in Prefectopans, will please lodge notes of their debts with
James Waddell writer, Jack's Land, Canongate, within ten days.
Not to be repeated.

NOTICE
To the Creditors of JAMES RICHARDSON Younger, Portioner of
Nether Annum, in the county of Roxburgh, and Dealer and Chap-
man there.
THAT the said James Richardson, with concurrence of one of his
creditors, to the extent required by the Statute, having applied
for a sequestration of his estate, the Lords of Council and Session a-
warded the same on the 10th, and appointed his creditors to meet at
Jedburgh, on the 27th day of July last, to name an interim-factor on
the said sequestrated estate. Which Meeting was accordingly held,
and Robert Bell tenant in Palace was appointed interim-factor, and
the next General Meeting of the Creditors, for the purpose of choosing
a trustee in terms of the statute was appointed to be held within the
house of James Hawell, Cross Keys, Jedburgh, on Tuesday the 31st
day of August current, at twelve o'clock noon; and the said Robert
Bell having applied by petition to the Sheriff of Roxburghshire to fix
one day in each of the four succeeding weeks, for the examination of
the said bankrupt, his family, and others acquainted with his business,
the Sheriff appointed Tuesday the 3d, the 10th, the 17th, and the
24th of August current for that purpose. Of all which the said Ro-
bert Bell gives this public notice, and invites the whole creditors of the
said James Richardson to be present at the said forefaid diets of examina-
tion, which are to be held within the Council-house of Jedburgh, that
they may have an opportunity of putting such questions as shall be
judged of importance to render the discovery and surrender of the
bankrupt's estate more complete.

SALE OF LANDS IN KIRKCUDBRIGHT,
AND
NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
TO be SOLD, by public roup, within the Exchange Coffee-house
in Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 4th August 1784, between
the hours of five and six afternoon, the LANDS aftermentioned
belonging to Robert Rae writer in Kirkcudbright, either together or in
the lots following.
LOT I. The Lands of PIBBLE, lying in the parish of Kirkma-
breck, and stewartry of Kirkcudbright. These lands are set at 521.
10 1. 6 d. upon a tack for nineteen years from Whitunday 1779.
They consist of above 720 acres, partly arable and meadow, and partly
muir-ground. They lie within two miles of Ferrytown, where plenty
of hills are to be had. Part of them is already shelled, and the whole
well inclosed, and subdivided. Upset price 900l.
LOT II. The Seller's Liferent Superiority of the Lands of CHA-
PELTOWN, lying in the stewartry of Kirkcudbright.
The articles of roup are to be seen in the hands of Mr William
Keith accountant, or John Tait, junior, writer to the signet, Prince's
Street, Edinburgh; to either of whom, or to John Thomson writer in
Kirkcudbright, persons desirous of farther information may apply.
Mr Keith, as trustee for Mr Rae and his creditors, having sold
part of Mr Rae's lands, the price of which is payable at Martinmas
next, proposes, at that term, to make a dividend among the creditors
of the price of the lands sold, and such other funds as shall by that
time be made effectual; and therefore, he desires, that the whole cre-
ditors will immediately lodge their grounds of debt, with oaths on the
verity thereof, either in the hands of him, the trustee, or of Mr Tait.
Such of the creditors as have not already done it, are requested imme-
diately to sign the deed of accession, or to give authority to their doers to
sign it for them. The principal deed is in the hands of Mr Tait, and
a copy thereof in the hands of Mr Thomf n at Kirkcudbright.

SALE OF LANDS IN CLACKMANNAN-SHIRE,
AND HOUSE IN ALLOA.
TO be SOLD by public roup, within the Coffeehouse of Stirling, up-
on Tuesday the 10th day of August cur, betwixt the hours of
three and four o'clock afternoon.
The Lands of MIDDLETON KERSE, and HOUSES thereon, ly-
ing within the parish of Alloa, and thire of Clackmannan, consisting of
fifty acres or thereby, Scots measure. These lands are all enclosed with
thriving hedges, and are the natural possession of the late proprietor; of
a fine carle soil, lie pleasantly situated on the banks of the river Devon,
within two miles of Alloa, three miles of Stirling, and within one mile
of the port of Cambus, on the river Forth, where lime can be landed
for the improvement of the ground; are also within one mile of coal.
—And upon Wednesday the 11th day of August next, there will be
Sold by public roup, within the house of Mrs Haig-vintner, Alloa,
betwixt the hours of twelve and one mid-day, That TENEMENT of
HOUSES, High and Laigh, Back and Fore, with the Yards and Pertin-
ents, lying well from the town-head of Alloa; to the Coastgate thereof,
which some time belonged to James Hutchison, therafter to Peter
Graham.
Further particulars will be known, by applying to Mess. John Hut-
ton baker in Stirling, and James Morrison at Cambus, trustees for the
creditors of Robert Campbell; and the articles of roup and title-deeds
to be seen in the hands of John Campbell writer in Stirling. The lands
will be shown by applying at the house of Middleton Kerse; and the
tenants in the house at Alloa will show the same.

PLANS
FOR the Decoration of Gentlemen's Seats, Parks, Gardens, and
Farms, and advice given for conducting the Improvement of Pa-
rises,
By **GEORGE ROBERTSON,**
Designer in Gardening, Prince's Street, Edinburgh,
at One Guinea per day, clear of all expences.

Stolen or Strayed from Hillhead, near Liffwade,
A SMALL ROUGH SPANIEL BITCH,
of a brown and white colour, answers to the name of Bessie.
Whoever has the Bitch in their possession, will be pleased to send her
to Hillhead, when all charges will be paid. And if she is, after this
public intimation, found in the possession of any person, they will be
prosecuted according to law.

BANK OF SCOTLAND.
JULY 27. 1784.
WHEREAS, by an act of Parliament passed this present Session,
entitled, "An Act to enable the Governor and Company of
the Bank of Scotland further to increase the Capital Stock of the said
Company," it is enacted, That the Court of Ordinary Directors of the
said Bank shall appoint a book to be opened and kept at the office of
the said Bank of Scotland, for receiving subscriptions for an additional
capital or joint stock, to the extent of L. 1,200,000 Scots, or L. 100,000
Sterling money, and no more; in which book, every person or persons
possessed of two or more shares of the present Capital Stock of the said
Bank of Scotland, shall be entitled to subscribe for a proportional part
of the said new or additional stock, corresponding to the shares so pos-
sessed by such person or persons, at the time of his, her, or their sub-
scribing, and no more; that is to say, that each proprietor holding two
shares of the present Capital Stock, shall be entitled to subscribe for
one share of the new or additional stock, and no more; and so on in
proportion.—And, in order that no person or persons possessed of
stock in the said Bank of Scotland, may be deprived of the benefit by
the said act intended them, it is enacted, that it shall be in the power
of every proprietor of the present capital stock of the said Company,
by a writing under his, her, or their hands, to authorize any other per-
son, he, she, or they shall think proper, to subscribe for him, her, or
them; and the subscription of the person so authorized shall be equally
effectual as if the proprietor who gives such authority had subscribed
with his, her, or their hands.—And enacted, That the privilege and
preference of subscribing to the new or additional stock, given to the
proprietors of the present stock of the said Bank, shall be limited to
three months, from the time of opening the subscription-book above-
mentioned. Therefore notice is hereby given, that a book is this day
opened, and kept at the office of the Bank of Scotland, for receiving
subscriptions, in terms of the said act.
By order of the Court of Directors,
THOMAS STEUART, Sec.

CHAISES FOR SALE.
TO be SOLD by public roup, on Wednesday the 4th of August,
at five o'clock in the evening, in the Grassmarket, two POST
CHAISES, with the benefit of a license yet to run, for about six
months, the property of the creditors of John Lamont, late at
Queensferry. The Chaises are in excellent order, and have only run a
few months. To be seen before the roup, at a coach-yard opposite to
the Canongate church.
At the same time to be SOLD, by private bargain, very cheap, a
new Coach, a Chaise, a Whisky, a second-hand post Chaise, and two
set of new Harness. The Coach and Whisky are not quite finished,
but they can be completed in a few days, to suit the fancy of the
purchasers. For further particulars, apply to John Hunter, back of
Canongate.

PRESERVATION OF GAME.
COLONEL ST CLAIR of St Clair, and WILLIAM FERGUSSON,
Esq; of Raith, being resolved to preserve the GAME on their
Estates in Fife and Mid Lothian, request that no gentleman will shoot
upon them without liberty. All unqualified persons and poachers will
be prosecuted, and the fines levied.

Lands in Mid-Lothian to be SOLD.
TO be SOLD by roup, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse,
Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 25th August cur, betwixt the
hour of five and six afternoon.
The LANDS of LEITHHEAD, either in whole or in lots, com-
prehending the Inn and 40 acres of land set therewith, commonly
known by the name of Little Vantage, lying in the parish of Kirknew-
ton, and county of Edinburgh.
The lands in whole consist of above 260 acres, and there was lately
built upon them a neat mansion house, fit to accommodate a pretty large
family.—Except the 40 acres set along with the Inn, the lands may
be entered to at Martinmas first. They are situated 11 measured
miles from Edinburgh, on the great road leading from thence to La-
nark, and the shire of Ayr.
If the lands are not purchased in whole, they will be fold in three
lots, viz. The first lot, comprehending the Inn, consists of about 103
acres. The second lot, upon which the mansion house is situated, con-
sists of about 80 acres, mostly inclosed with hedge and ditch. And
the third lot, upon which the house of Leithhead is situated, consists
of about 80 acres. By these divisions the marches will be rendered
very straight, and the lots compact, so that purchasers, whether for
profit or pleasure, will be enabled to improve them to very good
purpose.
For further particulars apply to James Sommers writer in Edin-
burgh, who will show a plan and survey of the grounds, and who has
powers to conclude a bargain, either in whole or in lots.

SALE OF LANDS IN DUMFRIES-SHIRE.
TO be Sold by Auction, within the George Tavern, Dumfries, upon
Wednesday the 25th day of August 1784, between the hours of
five and seven afternoon.
Those PARTS of the ESTATE of CARNSALLOCH lying on the
south-east side of the high road leading from Dumfries to Moffat, in the
following lots, viz.
LOT I.—The Farm of Heath-hall, possessed by Samuel Smith on a
lease, which expires at Candlemas 1785.
II.—The Farm of Brownrig, possessed by Widow Sloan on a lease,
which expires at Whitunday 1786.
III.—The Farm of Clumpton, possessed by James Paterfion on a lease,
which expires at Whitunday 1786.
IV.—The Farm of Littlecote, possessed by James Paterfion on a lease,
which expires at Candlemas 1790.
V.—Part of the Farm of Dalfone, possessed by Samuel Blunt on a
lease, which expires at Whitunday 1790.
Each of these farms has a large share of moor belonging to it, and
there are on them very extensive plantations of fir trees, upwards of
thirty years old. The whole lie in the parish, and about two miles di-
stant from the town, of Dumfries.
AS ALSO the LANDS of HOLM and CARSE, lying in the parish
of Holywood, possessed by John and Robert Burgess, and John Walker,
on a lease that expires at Whitunday 1786. They consist of 126 acres
or thereabouts, and are beautifully situated upon the river Nith, about
two miles above the town of Dumfries.
The whole or any part of the above lands may be purchased by pri-
vate bargain, for which purpose application may be made to Mrs John-
stone at Carnsalloch, who is possessed of plans of the several farms.
Copies of the rentals, inventory of writings, and articles of sale, may
be seen in the hands of John Bulby, sheriff-clerk of Dumfries; and James
Loch writer to the signet, Edinburgh.



HOUSE OF PEERS.

WEDNESDAY, July 28.

READ a second time the Plymouth and Portsmouth dock regulations bill.

Went through in Committee, with amendments, and reported, the hat-duty bill.

Heard counsel in a cause between Hannejell and Elphinstone. To proceed on Friday. Adjourned to Friday.

HOUSE OF COMMONS.

WEDNESDAY, July 28.

PASSED the brick and tiles duty bill.

Read a second time the ale licence bill.

The question for the second reading of the bill for regulating the commercial intercourse between the British West India islands and the United States of America then coming on,

Mr Atkinson pointed out a number of inconveniences to which merchants were already exposed; and though the session was so far advanced as not to admit of any plan of redress, yet he hoped that Ministry would take up the business at large the ensuing session, when the mercantile people would be ready to give the most indisputable proofs of the inconveniences they suffered, and he trusted would receive the redress their situation required.

Mr Pitt replied, that from the best information he had been able to obtain, there appeared no reason to suppose that any injury or inconvenience could arise from the present bill, which was to continue a former act, instead of entering at so late a period upon the laborious task of forming a new system of regulation, touching the commercial intercourse between America and the West Indies.

Mr Eden thought a continuance of the powers of the act now in force would give as much security to the trading interest as it seemed to require; but if matters were really as bad as pretended, the House was bound, notwithstanding the lateness of the season, to go into a full examination of the particulars, and to come to such resolutions as should appear to them equal to the removal of the present evil. No other gentleman speaking, the question was then put and carried.

Lord Mulgrave presented a petition from Mr Alexander Dalrymple, holding a respectable office in England, under the East India Company, praying for the admission of a special clause in the India reform bill, exempting him from that part of the bill which restricts the return of persons to the East Indies after residing a certain time in the East Indies. The petition was received, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr Rose brought up the report of the Committee on the hackney coach bill, and presented some new clauses, by which the coach-masters are entitled to 14 s. 6 d. instead of 12 s. per day, and to receive 1 s. 6 d. for the first hour after being hired, and for the following hours in proportion.

The Attorney-General gave an account of the crowded state of the several jails, and mentioned that great numbers of convicts were on the river, because they could not be sent to America, where there was now no British territory, except Nova Scotia and Canada, the conveying them to which was attended with great difficulty; and as some of the Judges doubted whether they could transport convicts to places not within the British dominions, he said he should move for leave to bring in a bill for reducing into one law all acts relative to transportable convicts; and for enabling the criminal courts to dispose of them, either by keeping them to labour, or sending them abroad, without specifying whether they should be landed on the British settlements or elsewhere. After a short conversation the bill was ordered to be brought in.

The House then going into a Committee on Ways and Means

The Chancellor of the Exchequer said, that he hardly expected any objection on the subject about which he was now to trouble the Committee, particularly in its present stage. Since the time of his bringing the matter first before them, he found it necessary to depart in some particulars from the proposition he then made; but though he was now induced to offer better terms to the holders of Ordnance and Navy bills who were willing to subscribe, he found nothing that could incline him to depart from the general design. Indeed, when the proposition was first proposed, he did not recollect that any objection had been made to the principle on either side of the House, though there was some difference of opinion with regard to the mode in which compensation was to be made to those who should enter into the subscription. In the proposals he was now about to make, and in doing which he should not trespass long on their time, he found no necessity of making any alteration in the first clause. The very high discount at which those who held Navy bills had received them was a proof that they did not purchase them under an idea of having them very soon discharged.

The alteration, then, which he proposed to make was principally between the first and second class of bill-holders, being a difference of from one to four per cent. and one and a half per cent. after. This, he thought, would be equal to every reasonable consideration, as they received a compensation for the advantage they were entitled to, by the prior payment of their bills in the usual order. As there was no reason why the terms of the holders of Ordnance-bills should be worse, from their bills bearing no interest, they were to be entitled to receive interest after 15 months, as the holder of Navy-bills do after six. Mr Pitt then moved the several resolutions for the different classes, viz. "that the holders of 1000 l. due in June 1781, be entitled to 107 l. in the five per cent fund; and the holders of the other three classes in the proportion above mentioned, to be irredeemable till 25 millions of the national debt be paid off, and that the sinking fund be the security for the payments."

Mr Fox observed, that when the Honourable Gentleman originally proposed this, among other subjects of very great importance, he had considered it as a commendable and proper proceeding to come forward and raise this year a very considerable revenue, in order to provide at once for the necessary and already incurred burdens, and to enable the country to look forward to measures of future redemption. He thought the welfare of the country, and its very existence in the rank of empire, depended on that sacred basis of national credit; and that this credit could not be supported without great and productive taxes. Under these impressions, whatever he might think of the particular objects on which the minister had fixed, he was unwilling to oppose them; therefore, he had for some time absented himself from the House, being unwilling to object, and yet unable to approve. He was glad, however, to find, that some of them had been abandoned, as they were intolerably oppressive; and not having now in readiness any taxes to propose as substitutes, he was unwilling to oppose those which had been offered. The Honourable Gentleman had, in the beginning of his speech, said, that on the first day of his

making this proposition no objection had been made to the principle; but he would remind him, that he had at that time asked how those holders of Navy-bills were to stand who should not accede to the subscription? And that the Honourable Gentleman answered, in the same situation they now do.

Indeed, if the Honourable Gentleman could make this out to him, he would not say another word about it; and without presuming to answer for what passed in the minds of others, he would only account for what passed in his own, which, though at that time he did not wish to mention, yet it had been more strongly impressed upon him in proportion as he bestowed more attention upon it. He then entered into a variety of arguments, to show that the holders of bills, who refused to subscribe, would not be on the same terms as they would have been, had no such proposal been made. He should now, however, give all the opposition in his power to their proposals. It mattered not to him in what stage of it, or what numbers might be of the same opinion. He considered it as a duty he owed his constituents, to whom this question was of peculiar moment, as well as to the Public in general, to take the sense of the Committee upon it.

The Chancellor of the Exchequer replied.

Mr Fox still insisted, that paying the posterior bill-holder before the anterior was an infraction of engagement incompatible with the justice of this country. The scheme which he had suggested, of paying all off at par was surely preferable.

Mr Hussey strongly objected to the postponing the payment of the navy-bills for two years. He was clearly of opinion, that Government ought to discharge them at once, as the sum they proposed to save by deferring the payment would be trifling in the extreme.

Mr Hanmer said, that the proposition stated by the Right Hon. Gentleman (the Chancellor of the Exchequer) would in his apprehension give a mortal stab to public credit, as the mode proposed to be adopted for the payment of navy-bills was widely different from any other he ever recollected to have heard of.

Mr Eden showed how the mode proposed by the Chancellor of the Exchequer would operate upon the first and second classes of navy-bill holders, declaring that, in his opinion, the offer might be considered as below par, and attended with certain circumstances of apparent compulsion, or at least of indefinite payment.

Mr S. Thornton stated, what had passed at some late meetings of navy-bill holders at which he had presided. They had considered, he said, the proposals as optional, and, therefore, imposing no hardship; concluding, that if they did not accept the offer of Government, they should be paid at par next year, as had been done on a former occasion.

Mr Dempster thought too great attention could not be paid to the slightest circumstance that could in any degree affect public credit. This was to be preserved inviolate; therefore, he could not but declare himself of opinion, that we should at once discharge such a proportion of the national debt funded by navy-bills as would be consistent with the dictates of prudence, and hold out such offers to those whose proportions were not able immediately to pay, as would leave them no ground of complaint.

Mr Sheridan, Lord North, Mr Fox, Mr Rose, Mr Baring, &c. said a few words, after which the question was agreed to.

Mr Chancellor Pitt now proposed, in lieu of the duty upon ribbons, a tax upon raw silk, after the rate of 3s. per lib. of 24 ounces imported, and a duty of 2s. per lib. on every pound of sixteen ounces of thrown silk imported—which propositions were agreed to.

He then proposed to new model the hat-tax, by providing that every dealer in hats in the cities of London and Westminster, and within the bills of mortality, should take out a licence of 40 s. per annum, every dealer without the bills of mortality a licence of 20 s. and every dealer in a village, not a market-town, a licence of 10 s. per annum; and instead of dividing the hats into two sorts, he proposed that the duty should be progressive, from a hat of 3 s upwards, in proportion to the price. These propositions were likewise all agreed to.

Mr Pitt next proposed to alter the resolution relative to race-horses, and that, instead of taxing a horse a guinea every time he started, and the winning horse five guineas, the tax should be two guineas on every horse the first time of starting, and this to be the full tax for such horse for the year.

Mr Eden thought the tax on horses estimated too high when taken at 100,000 l. the tax on servants produced only 40,000 l. and the calculation was five horses to one servant.

Mr Rose said many persons kept horses who had no servants. The resolution was then agreed to.

Mr Pitt next observed to the committee, that the part of the Post-office bill relative to franking letters must be communicated to the House of Lords by a representation—That no letter directed by a member of the House of Commons should pass free, unless the subscription be written with his own hand, with the place from which it is sent, and the date in words at length—Nor any letter directed to a member pass free for more than forty days after the recess, and unless it was directed to his actual place of abode, or to the lobby of the House.

Mr Burke thought the privileges of the independent members were frittering away too fast.

The proposition, however, was agreed to.

The India bill being then brought in for the third reading, Mr Burke moved, "That the House resolve itself into a committee, to consider the reports of the select and secret committees on India affairs." He prefaced this motion with a long speech, and was answered by Mr Dundas; to whom he again replied. The motion, however, was set aside by the order of the day for the third reading of the bill, when Mr Dempster proposed two additional clauses, which were negatived. The bill then passed, and was ordered to be carried up to the Lords by Mr Dundas.

Adjourned soon after twelve o'clock.

L O N D O N—July 29.

This day their Majesties attended divine service at St George's chapel, Windsor.

This being appointed for a day of thanksgiving on account of a general peace, the House of Lords went in procession to Westminster Abbey, and heard a sermon preached by the Bishop of St David's on the occasion; and the House of Commons went to St Margaret's, and heard a sermon preached by the Rev. Dr Pretyman.

The Lord Mayor sent cards of invitation to some of the Bishops to dine with his Lordship and the Aldermen, this day, at the Mansion-house after divine service at St Paul's.

The advices just brought from the East Indies mention the negotiation between Tipoo Saib's vakeels and the Company's servants still remained in a very unsettled state, in general suspected that artful Chief would take the opportunity of recommencing hostilities.

The same letters say, that Meer Mohud Cawn, the favourite General, still remained at Colifpake, on the side of the Gaits; and that his soldiers had committed acts of hostility, which, on being properly represented, Mohud had punished with the utmost impartiality.

Mr Jonfon, the resident with the Nabob Nizam Ali had, by letters from Lucknow to the Governor General, given the most satisfactory account of the Nabob's intentions towards the British Government; and that his chief wish was to unite his forces with the Company's Mahrattas against Tipoo.

The last advices from Bombay declare, that the British ships at Carwar and Onore had been relieved from the they had suffered from the scarcity of grain, in consequence several Portuguese ships having arrived there with plenty kinds of provisions.

WIND AT DEAL, JULY 27. W. S. W.

No business done this day at 'Change.

EDINBURGH.

Extract of a letter from London, July 29.

"This day of thanksgiving for the peace has been solemnized in this metropolis, by various classes of men. Sons and daughters of the Church of England put on their apparel, went to chapel, and performed the usual ceremonies with great decency. The Dissenters mourned over the sins of the people, and shewed that 'it was of God's mercy they were not consumed.' The Methodists preached 'Christ crucified.' Immense crowds of gentlemen and ladies indulged their meditations in the Park, and Kensington gardens. Apprentices kept their assignments with the ale-houses were performed, in honour of the day, clouds of incense from tobacco pipes; and plentiful libations of port. The fields around London swarmed with cricketers and boxers; and the roads for many miles were crowded with post chaises, phaetons, and whistlers.—There are the glorious effects of this peace!"

"It is currently reported that Lord Stormont is soon to appear in an active, important, and responsible station, in Government. He is to be one of the Secretaries of State. There never existed two such miserable Secretaries as Lord S— and Lord C—. P—y T— had acquired some knowledge of forms in the House of Commons, and with bawling, stamping with his foot, and a few cast glances stunned country gentlemen into a persuasion that he was a fool. But in the House of Peers, where he has been obliged to know that bawling won't do, and where he is obliged to moderate his tone of voice, and to affect a decency in his looks and gestures, he is utterly at a loss, and hums and haws pitifully. Lord Carlisle alone sets him down in a state of vexation. As for C—, he seldom attends, and never speaks. These things are in every body's mouth. A day in the departments of Secretaries of State is unavoidable."

"The taxes, as well as the East India bill, have undergone the greatest alterations and commutations. This is variously spoken of. The friends of Mr Pitt commend his modesty and pliability. His adversaries say, that he wants abilities for managing and government, yet, on the strength of other abilities, still hopes to retain his present power."

"Ministry, I hear, are still busy in planning the colonization and improvement of Nova Scotia. The harbour, and towards Fundy Bay are allowed to be excellent, although other parts, Nova Scotia can scarcely be cultivated. Fundy Bay is excellently situated for commerce, if we add to the navigation laws, and exclude the Americans from West India commerce, that commerce they will be obliged to carry on through Fundy Bay, which will become the great entrepot between the West Indians and North Americans. If this dictum be well founded, we have yet much to hope for in America."

This day Leith races began, when a plate of Fifty pounds value, given by the City of Edinburgh, was run for, and won by Mr Lee's bay horse, Come-if-ye-can, 1 1/2. Lord Gray's bay horse, Cripple, 2 1/2. William Robertson, Elq; his black mare, Laura, 3 1/2. Sir Archibald Hope's chestnut mare, Diana, 4 1/2. Mr Dewar's chestnut horse, Biddick, 5 1/2. Mr Mangle's roan gelding, 6 1/2.

A protest has been entered against the owner of the winning horse receiving the prize, on account of his having formerly gained 50 l. and being thereby debared by the articles from running.

On Saturday last, was married here, James Traill, Esq. Sheriff-depute of Caithness and Sutherland, to the Right Honourable Lady Janet Sinclair, sister of the Earl of Caithness. Yesterday, at six o'clock in the evening, the Rev. Dr Cleave preached an excellent and pathetic sermon, in the Episcopal Chapel, to a genteel audience, from Psalm xlii. v. 1. The collection, which amounted to upwards of 20 l. being, is to the relief of patients at the Public Dispensary.

John Longmuir reed-maker in Edinburgh, was yesterday incarcerated in the Tolbooth, by warrant of the Sheriff, on suspicion of setting fire to a hay stack, belonging to Messrs Haig and Company, at Canonmills, on the night of the 2nd of June last, during the time of the riot there. Longmuir, in consequence of information exhibited against him, was apprehended and committed to the Tolbooth of Glasgow, from whence he was brought by Mr Sheriff Cockburn's officers, mentioned above.

This morning, came on before the High Court of Justice the trial of Peter McGregor, late servant to a gentleman in town, George Lawrie fletcher in Edinburgh, William Anderson, late day-labourer, and James Paul, apprentice to a tanner, indicted at the instance of his Majesty's advocate for being concerned in the late riots in Canonmills. Mr Solicitor-General after the indictment was read, deferred the diet, pro hoc tempore, against Anderson and Paul; but craved warrant for their being recommitted to prison, as he meant afterwards to bring them to trial for the same offence on a separate indictment. Warrant was accordingly granted, and they were committed back to the tolbooth. The Court was then addressed by McGregor by Mr Alexander Abercrombie; for Lawrie by Mr George Ferguson; and, for the Crown, by Mr Solicitor-General, on the import of the indictment; which having been found relevant to infer an arbitrary punishment, the usual interlocutor in such cases was pronounced, and the trial proceeded. The proof on the part of the Crown, and in exculpation

or alleviation, for the pannels, being finished, the Jury was addressed, on the part of the Crown, by Mr. Solicitor-General; for Macgregor, by Mr. Abercrombie; and for Lawrie, by Mr. John MacLaurin. The Lord Justice Clerk then summed up the evidence at great length, and the Jury were appointed to return their verdict to-morrow at half past one o'clock. Counsel for the Crown, Mr. Solicitor-General Dundas, Mr. William Craig, Mr. Archibald Campbell, and Mr. James Wolfe Murray; for the pannels, Mr. John MacLaurin, Mr. Alexander Abercrombie, and Mr. George Ferguson.

On Saturday last, Mr. Henderson made his first public appearance in this kingdom, in the character of Hamlet, and was received by a very numerous and genteel audience, with great and deserved applause. On this occasion, the admirers of Shakespeare were highly gratified with beholding a just and perfect exhibition of that various, complicated, and difficult character. In some particular passages, we perhaps remember to have seen more vehement and boisterous execution—"a passion torn to tatters, to very rage, to split the ears of the groundlings;" but it is confessed by all good judges, who were present at this representation, that "the action was suited to the words, the words to the action; with this special observance, that the modesty of nature was not overstepped;" for this celebrated performer entered perfectly into the spirit of the part, comprehended completely the meaning of every expression he uttered, and, even in the obscure passages, taught his audience to understand and feel what he said. Never did any performer of Hamlet speak, with greater propriety, the admirable directions given to the players; or more happily illustrate, by his own action, the excellence of those instructions. The passionate and interesting scenes were every where finely expressed by him. The first address of Hamlet to the Ghost fixed the house in profound and earnest attention; though neither here, nor in the first soliloquy, did the performer seem quite so much at his ease as afterwards in the progress of the action, being evidently somewhat embarrassed at the exordium of a first exhibition. In this address to the Ghost, we observed an unusual incident: Mr. Henderson, in speaking the words, "I'll call thee Hamlet, King, Father, Royal Dane!" &c. kneeled when he pronounced the word Father, and remained in that posture for a considerable time, which had a striking effect. We are surprised that this attitude had not been generally adopted in uttering this speech, especially as it has the authority of *Betterton*, the celebrated tragedian, in its favour, who, we are credibly informed, was wont to assume this manner. Soliloquies in dramatic composition have been much condemned by the critics: But if ever they can be held to be natural, surely they must be confessed to be so in the tragedy of Hamlet. They are, however, of very difficult execution. The audience seemed particularly pleased with Mr. Henderson's manner of speaking the celebrated one on death, which is in the mouth of every body. But, surely he was no less excellent in the preceding one, when the players leave him near the end of the second act—"Is it not monstrous, that this player here?" &c.; a soliloquy which shews the art of the poet, perhaps, in a higher degree than the other. Mr. Henderson was extremely successful in expressing the singularities of Hamlet's character, especially in the lighter parts of the dialogue, which he entered into with the utmost spirit and ease, never losing sight of nature. The fantastic repartees which Hamlet uses during his assumed frenzy were uttered with peculiar address and dexterity. "Man delights not me, nor woman neither," &c. was delivered, not in the usual manner, but in the manner in which Shakespeare surely understood it. But, to criticise a performer of Hamlet minutely, would involve also a particular criticism of the Tragedy itself—a fertile subject! much more so than the bounds of a newspaper would admit. Suffice it to say, that Mr. Henderson's performance of this part was in the first rate style of acting, and afforded an agreeable preface of what we may expect from the future entertainment he is to furnish. He has paid us a visit at a very trying season. To be preceded so recently by Mrs. Siddons, would put the merit of the most celebrated performer that ever lived to the severest test. And it is no mean proof of the excellence of Mr. Henderson's action, that he receives such loud applause, when the performance of that exquisite and admirable woman is so fresh in the remembrance of the audience.

The Directors of the MUSICAL SOCIETY have appointed a Concert in St. Cecilia's Hall, on Friday next. Particular tickets are to be given out for that night. The Members will therefore call for Ladies tickets at the usual place, on Thursday forenoon. No member to get more than two tickets; and such gentlemen as wish to be admitted will please put down their names in the list as usual.

Extract of a letter from Dublin, July 27.
"His Grace the Duke of Rutland has been pleased to order the sum of four hundred and thirty pounds annually, to be paid to the Hon. the City of Dublin, for establishing peace officers; in consequence of which the Right Hon. the Lord Mayor and Aldermen have advertised for twenty able-bodied men, which are to get 20 l. per year, and there is to be a servant appointed to command them, which is to get 30 l. per annum. This noble institution of his Grace must undoubtedly have a good effect, and among other things prevent robberies, which are now hourly happening."

SOUND SHIPPING.
PASSED THE SOUND.
July 12. Joseph of Kilmacduy, Wallace, from Middleburgh, for Memel.
13. John of and for Leith, Sheriff, from Memel, with oats.
Lady Mary Anne of and from Montrose, Ogilvie, for St. Peterburgh, in ballast.
William and Alexander of Alloa, Miller, from Dundee, for ditto.
Hailes-Cattle of Leith, Anderson, from London, for Dantzic, do.
Betty of Portofy, Garden, from Leith, for ditto, with ditto.
Elizabeth of and from Kilmacduy, Beveridge, from St. Peterburgh, do.
Patty of and from Kinghorn, Hunter, from Memel, with grain.
Nancy of and from Inverkeithing, Bonner, for Weyburgh, ballast.
Adventure of Dyfart, Thomson, from Shetland, for Memel, do.
Duke of Athole of and from Borrowstounness, Hart, for Dantzic.
Hope of and from Dundee, Mavor, from St. Peterburgh, ditto.
Peggy of and from Dundee, Brown, for ditto, with ditto.
ELISABETH, July 13. Wind W. N. W. WALTER WOOD.

ARRIVED AT LEITH, July 30. Jean, Allan, from Petersburg with grain, &c.; George and Margaret, Brown, from Riga, with ditto, &c.; Nelly, Primrose, from Memel, with ditto, &c.; Hope Branch, Bainsfield, from Riga, with ditto, &c.; Christian the Seventh, Torkelson, from Mandale, with wood; Fortune, Charteris, from Gottenburgh, with deals and iron; Morning Star, Yule, from Gottenburgh, with deals and iron; Oughton Tender, Hodge, from Riga, with grain; Betty, Harrison, from Memel, with logs, &c.; Elizabeth, Davidson, from ditto, with ditto; John, Mercy, from ditto, with ditto; John, Muir, from Memel, with grain.—Aug. 2. Maria, Anderson, from Christiana, with wood; Industry, —, from Hamburg, with timber, &c.; Mercury, Davidson, from ditto, with ditto.

SAILED FROM GREENOCK, July 30. Janet, Chisholm, for Virginia, with goods; Justitia, Cook, for Norway, with tobacco; Jane, Carlon, for Liverpool, with goods.
ARRIVED AT GRANGEMOUTH, July 29. Carron, Paterfon, from London, with goods; Fortune, Nelson, from Christiana, with deals; Solvaler, Halverfon, from ditto, with ditto; Friendship, Scott, from Leith, with barley and malt.—30. Helen and Peggy, Murray, from Alenmouth, with oats; Ruley, Dickison, from Montrose, with barley.

ORKNEY SHIPPING.
Sailed from Stromness.
July 17. Priscilla of Shields, Frank, John and Margaret of ditto, Thompson; Maas of ditto, —, all from David's Straits for Shields, with blubber.
18. Dispatch of and for Port Glasgow, McCallum, from Pechonpans. Jeans of and for Stranraer, M'Morra, from Gottenburgh. Blyth Ann of Workington, Atkinson, from Dantzic, for Belfast. Friendship of Lochryon, Sempell, from Memel, for Whitburn. Jean and Janet of and for Kirkwall, Spittal, for Barra. The Cunningham of and for Irvine, Gamel, from Memel. Anne of and for Liverpool, Cook, from ditto. Sally of and for Stranraer, Conaway, from ditto. Batchelors of and for Stromness, Smith, for Leith. Annabella of and for ditto, Stewart, from ditto.
20. King George the Third of London, Allison, from Memel for Liverpool.
Greenock of and for Greenock, Torbat, from Riga. Margaret of Kirkwall, Irvine, from Stromness for the Highlands. Hawk of and for Irvine, Gamel, from Memel. Chance of and for Saltcoats, Dunstan, from Dantzic. Lady Charlotte of Campbellton, Mitchell, from Christiana, for Larn. Katty of Fort-William, M'Kenzie, from Bergen for Belfast. Edward of Campbellton, Morrison, from Eyemouth for Stromness. Swallow of and for Greenock, Robbison, from Christiana. Lottery of and for Liverpool, Foreman, from Dantzic. Earl of Falkenberg of and for Whitby, Johnston, from David's Straits. Freeclove of and for ditto, Brown, from ditto. Mary of and from Greenock, Campbell, for Stromness. Betty and Peggy of Greenock, Allan, from Eskdale for Leith. Supply of and for London, Foster, from David's Straits.
22. Prince of Wales of Campbellton, M'Pherson, from Christiana, for Sligo.
Remains in said Harbour.
The Marlborough, Banks; Chance, Elmev; Friendship, Elmev; all of and for Whitby, from David's Straits. Bonaeval of Aberdeen, Beatty, from Kirkwall for Stromness. Janet of Dundee, Cattness, from Leith for Lochinward.

L O SQUAT.
A RED CORNELIAN SEAL, set in Gold, impression a Coat of Arms.—Any person that will bring it to the Publisher shall receive a GUINEA reward.

ROBERT MACMILLAN, Paper-Stainer,
At his Warehouse, Milne's Square, Head of Bridge-Street, Edinburgh, acquaints his friends and the public, that he has at present on hand the greatest variety of the newest and most beautiful patterns of Paper Hangings for Rooms, Ceilings, Halls, and Passages, which he continues to manufacture and sell in wholesale, retail, and for exportation, at the very lowest prices.
N. B. Commissions from the country will be carefully attended to and speedily executed, and papers sold for ready money sent to any place in the neighbourhood free of expence.

FRENCH LANGUAGE AND MUSIC.
MISS BARCLAY from Paris, where she received a regular Education from her infancy to the time she was capable of teaching the French Language grammatically, and with the true pronunciation, continues teaching Public and Private Classes, at her house, Wilkie's Land, back of the City-Guard, third story.
She humbly flatters herself, that the satisfaction she has already given in this polite and necessary branch of Education, will be a sufficient inducement for parents intrusting their children to her care.
She likewise teaches Music to such young Ladies as may incline to be instructed in that genteel accomplishment.

RUSSIA TALLOW.
JUST arrived from St. Peterburgh, to be sold by Scougall and Ogilvy, at their Warehouse, Leith.
Likewise some fine RUSSIA OATS.

An Upper Servant out of Livery Wanted,
Now or at Martinmas.
HE must be about 30 years of age or upwards, experienced in his business, and of undoubted sobriety, honesty, and good temper. Apply to Mr. Taylor Brown's-square; and it is desired that none will call, who do not strictly answer this description.

AINSLIE AND CAVERHILL,
Stationers, Map and Print Sellers,
Parliament-square, Edinburgh.
BEG leave to acquaint the Public, that they have got a neat assortment of MODERN MAPS of different sizes, viz. Of the World, Europe, Asia, Africa, America, Scotland, England, and other kingdoms, with a number of the late surveys of Scots and English counties, several good Atlases of different sizes, &c. &c. and a good assortment of NEW PRINTS by Bartolozzi, Burke, Showlin, &c.; a great collection of Mezzotintos, Books in Architecture, Le Brun's Passions of the Soul as represented in the face, the complete Drawing Master, containing a great variety of examples, several sets of figures of fine horses, &c. &c. which they continue to sell at the London prices.—Likewise a great variety of drawing books, black lead and hair pencils, and every article in the stationary branch, all at the most reasonable rates; particularly fine papers for drawing, Reeves's much-approved water colours and crayons, &c. &c. &c.
At the above Shop may be had, to be published on Monday the 2d of August next.

A Correct CHART of the WEST COAST, from Saltcoats in Ayrshire to Whitehaven in England, on six large sheets, protracted from a scale of half an inch to a mile—price 10s. 6d.
Also lately Published,
A New Travelling Map of Scotland, with a table shewing the distances from one town to another, with the heights of the most remarkable hills—price 2s.
N. B. Maps and plans neatly mounted, either for the pocket or with rollers.—Prints elegantly framed and glazed.
Gentlemen's estates correctly surveyed and neatly planned.—Plans expeditiously engraved.

HOUSE IN CHAPEL-STREET, TO BE SOLD.
A Genteel commodious HOUSE, belonging to, and possessed by Mrs. Baird, sen. of Newbyth, with Stable and Coach house, and many other conveniences, fit to accommodate a large family.—The House will be seen on Friday the 6th of August instant, and afterwards on Tuesdays and Fridays.
For particulars, apply to Mrs. Baird.

NOTICE
To the CREDITORS of ANDREW LYON Merchant in Port-Glasgow.

A Meeting of the said Creditor, held at Port-Glasgow on the 30th of July last, for the purpose of choosing an interim factor on the sequestrated estate of their debtor, having nominated Hugh Crawford, senior, writer in Greenock to that office,—he does hereby intimate, That a General Meeting of the Creditors is appointed to be held at Port-Glasgow, and within the house of Mrs. Rodger vintner there, on the 7th day of September next, for the purpose of choosing a Trustee on the said sequestrated estate; and that upon an application from him, the Sheriff of Renfrew has fixed Thursday next the 5th instant, and the same day in each of the three following weeks, at five o'clock afternoon, for the public examination of the bankrupt, within the Court-hall of Paisley—all in terms of the late act of Parliament, under which the sequestration is awarded.

HUGH CRAWFORD.

CARRON WAREHOUSE.

JOHN SPOTTISWOOD returns his sincere thanks to the Public for the many distinguished favours they have conferred upon him, and begs to inform them, that he has just now opened a New Carron Warehouse at the north end of the Bridge, New Town, Edinburgh (formerly Mrs. Hutton's china warehouse), where he has fitted up an elegant assortment of Goods, newest patterns:

Of which the following are a few, viz.

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| Bath & Pantheon Carron grates, antique and modern figures | Elegant prince's metal grates for drawing-rooms, with furniture of the same mounting |
| Register stoves | Die-cut steel fenders of all patterns |
| Smoke ditto | Wire fenders, painted green |
| Canada ditto | Tongs, poker, and shovels, all qualities |
| Podestall ditto | Light annealed cast iron goblets |
| Column ditto | Ditto stew pans |
| Franklin ditto | Ditto fish pans |
| Stewing ditto | Ditto round and oval pots |
| Laundry ditto | Ditto tea kettles |
| Round and square ditto | Coal buckets, shuttles, & fire-pans |
| Perpetual ovens | Roller iron dripping-pans |
| Boiling tables | Frying pans |
| Furnace doors and grates | Spring steak-tongs, chopping and mincing knives |
| Smoothing irons | Tea kettles |
| Box ditto | Tea trays and servers |
| Water boilers with brass cocks | And many other goods expressed in the shop-bills. |
| Ballistors and pillars for railing | His business at his shop foot of the West Bow is carried on, in all the Carron, Hulbandry, and Iron Goods, as formerly. At both places, every thing will be sold on the lowest terms. |
| Single & double wheeled jacks | An Apprentice Wanted. |

His business at his shop foot of the West Bow is carried on, in all the Carron, Hulbandry, and Iron Goods, as formerly. At both places, every thing will be sold on the lowest terms.

SALMON FISHERIES AT PERTH,

T O B E L E T.

THE Magistrates and Town-Council of Perth hereby give notice, That upon Wednesday the first day of September 1784, at three o'clock afternoon, within the Court-Room of the said burgh, there will be exposed to public roup, SIX SEPARATE LEASES of the whole SALMON FISHERIES upon the river Tay, belonging to the community of the said burgh, for three years from and after the 11th day of December next thereafter; and the highest offerers, on finding sufficient security for payment of the tack-duties, will be preferred.

SALMON FISHERIES TO LET.

THE Lease of the Salmon-fishing of the water of Beauly, in the county of Inverness, expires upon the first day of December 1785, and it is proposed to LET the Whole Fishing of the said river, with the cruives and corf-houses thereof, for the space of nineteen years, to commence from the said first day of December 1785.
Such as incline to become tackmen may therefore lodge their proposals in writing with James Fraser of Bledrum, by Inverness, or James Fraser writer to the signet in Edinburgh, betwixt and the 20th of September next, specifying the tack-duty they are willing to give, which will be determined on betwixt and the 12th of November; and the names of the offerers not preferred shall be concealed if required.

Judicial Sale of a Tack in Ayrshire,

By Adjournment, and Upset Price reduced.

TO BE SOLD, by Authority of the Court of Session, within the Parliament or New Session House of Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 4th day of August 1784, betwixt the hours of four and six afternoon.

THE SURPLUS RENT arising to the principal Tackman out of the Farm of CHAPELDONNAN, lying in the neighbourhood of Girvan and shire of Ayr, being 33 l. 16 s. 3 d. Sterling yearly, from the term of Whit Sunday 1784 till the term of Martinmas 1802, when the principal tack expires. This sum, after deduction of 14 l. 5 s. 3 d. as the expence of making a drain, due to one of the subtenants, payable the one half at Martinmas 1789, and the other at the expiry of the sub tack, is valued at 197 l. 15 s. 11 d. Sterling, at which the same was formerly exposed, but is now to be set up at the reduced price of 300 l. Sterling.
The articles of roup are to be seen in the hands of George Kirkpatrick, depute-clerk of Session, or Alexander Wight writer to the signet.

BY ADJOURNMENT.

JUDICIAL SALE.

TO BE SOLD, by authority of the Lords of Council and Session, within the Parliament or New Session-house of Edinburgh, upon Thursday the 5th day of August 1784, betwixt the hours of four and six o'clock afternoon, before the Lord Ordinary on the bills.

THE FOLLOWING SUBJECTS,

Which pertained to THOMAS JOHNSTON of Crawthats, viz.

THE Two merk Lands of old extent of Upper and Nether CRAWTHATS, with the pertinents, lying in the parish of Tundergarth, and shire of Dumfries.
The yearly rent of these lands, free of all deductions, is proven to be 61 l. 14 s. 4 d. 3-12ths; which the Lords have valued at twenty-three years purchase; so that the upset price is L. 1419 to 19-12ths.
The farm of Crawthats is of considerable extent, and is known to be one of the best grazing farms in Annandale. The lands are held feu of the Crown for payment of 2 s. 7 d. 8-12ths yearly, and stand rated in the cess-books in cumulo with the lands of Grains, Pearshyhall and others, at 700 merks Scots.
The proprietor has a complete right to the teinds.
THE Lands of HOLMEADOW and DOGBUSHKNOW, with the pertinents, lying in the parish of Tundergarth, and shire of Dumfries.
The free yearly rent of these lands, deducting all public burdens, and setting aside a fifth part for teind, is 14 l. 6 s.; which, at twenty-three years purchase, amounts to L. 328 18 0.
And the privilege of purchasing the free teinds, being 3 l. 6 s. 8 d. is rated at five years purchase, or 16 13 4.
Upset price of Lot II. L. 345 11 4.
These lands are held feu of the Viscount of Stormont, for payment of 30 l. Scots yearly.
They are pleasantly situated on the water of Milk, and capable of great improvement.
The articles of roup and title-deeds may be seen by applying to Mr. Thomas Bruce depute-clerk of Session, or Alexander Young writer in Edinburgh. And copies of the articles are also lodged with Francis Short writer in Dumfries.

FOR WILMINGTON, NORTH CAROLINA, THE SHIP JEANY,

HUSKINS Master,

Will be clear to take in goods at Greenock by the 1st, and to sail about the middle of August. The Jeany is a good vessel, and will have proper accommodation for passengers.

For freight or passage by the above vessel, apply to Mr. Robertson, of Merchant Bank, Glasgow, or Fleming, M'Alister, and Co. Greenock. July 23. 1784.

For HALIFAX, and PORT ROSEWAT in Nova Scotia, The Ship AMERICA, — Master,

NOW ready to take goods on board at Greenock, and will sail about the 20th of August. For freight or passage, apply to Fleming, M'Alister and Co. Greenock, Mr. James Robertson, Merchant Bank, Glasgow, or Mr. John M'Lean, Fort-William.

N. B. The America is a large strong ship, built of live oak and cedar, finely adapted for passengers, being about 64 feet high between decks, 84 feet in the beam, with an elegant cabin, and four large staterooms.

JUDICIAL SALE OF PITTENCRIEFFE, BY ADJOURNMENT, Upset Price still further reduced,—and Coal to be exposed with the Lands.

TO be SOLD by authority of the Court of Session, upon Tuesday the 3d day of August 1784, betwixt the hours of six and seven afternoon, within the Parliament House.

The Lands and Barony of PITTENCRIEFFE, and others, situated in the parish of Dunfermline and shire of Fife, (excepting 93 acres of the farm of Blackburn already sold); with various Acres, Houses, Yards, Mills, and Feu-duties, in and about the town and abbey of Dunfermline.

The proven free rent of these subjects is about 989 l. 8 s. 2 d. of which, for mills, houses, and yards, 177 l. and for feu-duties, about 82 l.

The proven value of all together is L. 19,924 9 7

Also, The Constabulary and Bailie House in the Abbey of Dunfermline, presently unset, with a large Area and other Buildings, valued at 150 0 0

Grounds for building and feuing on various new streets round the town of Dunfermline, already begun, valued at 1040 0 0

Wood upon the lands, valued about six years ago at 831 10 4

Privilege of purchasing teinds of back acres, 5 14 7

The Collieries and Ironstone under these lands (excepting about 45 acres of Mounthooly, where the coals belong to Mr Wellwood of Garvock), together with the bound colliers there, and the grieves houses, and the privilege of the main level, called the Urquhart level, for working them; to be set up now along with the estate at the proven value of 600 0 0

The proven value and first upset price of these subjects was L. 22,551 14 6

But, for the encouragement of purchasers, are now to be set up at the law price of L. 17,600 0 0

Which is lower than the proven value by L. 4951 14 6

The coals consist of a two-feet seam, mostly over the whole lands, a five-feet seam, great part of which is still to work; and a splint seam of four feet, which is mostly below level, but a considerable quantity may be yet got by a small fire engine, and there may be other seams not yet discovered. They are of very excellent quality, lying near the sea, and for sale to Dunfermline, and that part distant from the mansion-house may, it is not doubted, be let at a good rent to the purchasers of the larger collieries or others, if the proprietor does not chuse to work it himself.

The surface of the estate including feus, &c. and the 45 acres of Mounthooly lands is about 330 Scotch acres.

There is no value put upon a convenient substantial mansion-house of ten rooms, besides closets, nor upon a complete set of new elegant office-houses, pigeon-house, and fruit wall, which have lately cost above 1200 l. The valued rent is nearly equal to three freehold qualifications, and the land-tax and other consequential burdens are remarkably low in proportion to the real rent, as the feuars pay good part of them.

The place is well known to be convenient and beautiful almost beyond description, with the finest near and distant prospects that can be met with. The trees are very thriving and beautiful. The lands are mostly low rented, as they may with little exception be considered as borough acres.

There is an increase of rent by agreements for feus since the judicial rental was taken of above 20 l. per annum, and there cannot be a doubt of its advancing considerably by a number of buildings on the various outlets, and new streets begun round the populous and increasing town of Dunfermline, especially if the collieries were once set fairly to work, and there was a resident heritor, who could give regular feus immediately.

Lot II. The whole COLLIERIES and IRON-STONE under the adjoining lands of Luffar, Clune, Wester Balbridge, and about 93 acres of the lands of Blackburn and Pittencriff and others, lately sold to Mr Hog, with all the privileges thereto belonging, but with sundry exceptions and restrictions, as are all more particularly described in former advertisements; and the articles of sale, together with a feu of the farm of Wester Rosyth, and harbour of Brucehaven, and also the tacks of the lands of Windielaw, and Minister of Inverkeithing's Glebe, during his incumbency, which are adjoining to Wester Rosyth.

The proven value of this lot, at which it was formerly exposed, (including the coals in the lands of Pittencriff, which were valued at 600 l.) was L. 6522 18 10

And is now to be set up without them, at the reduced price of 4,700 0 0

These collieries are known to contain inexhaustible quantities of different kinds of coal, of the best qualities, as more particularly described in former advertisements. They can be wrought for the most part by a level, which has been carried up at a very great expence, and can have a convenient wagon-way made for transporting them to sea. There is 18 feet water at ordinary spring tides in the harbour, and the depth may be increased by extending the pier, which has stone quarries, just by it.

Lot III. The Following FEU of the Lands of HERMITAGE in the parish of South Leith, viz.

James Allison's late Feu, consisting of a Garden, with a large House thereon, containing about 4 acres, 1 rood, 64 falls, gross rent, 34 l. 10 s. 2 d.; feu-duty, converting the barley at 12 s. 6 d. per boll, 7 l. 7 s. 3 d.; free rent, 27 l. 2 s. 10 d.

The proven value, and at which it was set up formerly, 420

To be exposed now at the reduced price of 330

The title-deeds, rentals, and plans of the estate, with the articles and conditions of sale, will be seen in the hands of Messrs John Callander depute-clerk of session, and William Anderson clerk to the signet.

Adam Paterson, overseer upon the estate at Dunfermline, will show the premises in Pittencriff, and Alexander Marr gardener on the south side of Leith Links, those at Hermitage.

BY ADJOURNMENT—JUDICIAL SALE.

TO be SOLD, within the Parliament or New Session-house of Edinburgh, upon Tuesday the 10th day of August 1784, betwixt the hours of four and six afternoon,

The following LOTS of the SUBJECTS which belonged to Messrs Robert and William Alexanders late merchants in Edinburgh.

Lot I. The Lands of BLACKHOUSE, DALMELLING, and BOGHALL, and teinds thereof, lying in the parish of St Quivox, and shire of Ayr, with some houses and yards at the Brigend of Ayr.

The proven rent, after all deductions, is, L. 190 19 9-12ths

And the proven value of these lands, being partly held of the Crown, and partly of a subject superior, is, 8096 11 6-12ths

N. B. The sub-tenants pay of advance rent to the principal tackmen, 388 l. 4 s. 2 d. 11-12ths.

And the proven value of the coal upon this estate of Blackhouse, which is situate within a very small distance of the port of Ayr, is, 600 0 0

Upset price of Lot I. L. 14,096 11 6-12ths

Lot II. The Lands of DUPHOLD and CROFTHEAD, lying in the parish and shire of Ayr. The proven free rent is, L. 102 9 4

And proven value, being held feu of the town of Ayr, at twenty-three years purchase, is, L. 2356 14 8

Lot III. The Lands and Barony of UNDERWOOD, comprehending the lands of Fowtown, Wardnake, and Aulside, Hoghall, Underhill, and Dinton and Underwood Mains, lying in the parishes of Stair and Craigie, and shire of Ayr. The proven free rent is, L. 199 2 7-12ths

And the proven value, being held of a subject superior, at twenty-three years purchase, is, L. 4580 0 10-12ths

Lot XI. The Subjects in Leith, formerly occupied as a Cudbear Manufactory. The proven free rent is, L. 27 19 9-12ths

And the proven value, being held of subject superior, is, L. 370 0 0

The articles of sale, and progress may be seen at the office of Mr Stevenson depute-clerk of Session. And further information will be got by applying to William Dick writer to the signet.

TO be SOLD by judicial sale, before the Lord Ordinary on the bills, upon Tuesday the 3d of August 1784, betwixt the hours of four and six afternoon, within the New Session-house of Edinburgh,

ALL and Whole the Lands of Easter and Wester BANDRUM and Dowie's Lands, now called RINDS, lying in the parish of Saline and county of Fife. There is a small house upon the premises, and the proprietor has begun to build extensive offices, part of which was finished, and may be completed at no great expence.—There is a good deal of young planting upon these lands, in a thriving condition.

The yearly proven rent of these lands is L. 120 9 0

And deducting the feu-duties, minister's stipend, and schoolmaster's salaries, which amount to 14 18 8

There remains of free rent 105 10 4

Which valued at twenty-five years purchase, amounts to L. 3011 5 0

And the proven value of the plantations of trees is 150 0 0

Amounting to L. 3161 5 0

Deduct twenty-five years purchase of the public burdens, 373 6 8

Remains, L. 2787 18 4

Which is to be the upset price of these lands.

As also, that Lodging or Dwelling-house, being the third storey of that large tenement of land on the fourth-side of the Cross of Edinburgh, being the second storey above where Balfour's Coffeehouse was kept, formerly possessed by Mr William Aytoun writer to the signet, and now by Mrs Spott, at the yearly rent of L. 45 0 0

And likewise a Stable in the head of the Old Fish-market close, set at 3 3 0

The proven value of the house at fourteen years purchase, is 630 0 0

And the value of the stable is proven to be 50 0 0

Amounting both to 680 0 0

There are two large garrets belonging to this dwelling-house, and within the stable there is a large cellar fitted up with catacombs.

William Paton at Rinds will show the lands, and the tenants will show the dwelling-house and stable.—The progress of writs, which is clear, and the articles of roup, will be seen at the office of George Kirkpatrick, depute-clerk of session; and information as to all further particulars may be had, by applying to Samuel Mitchelson, jun. clerk to the signet.

LANDS IN RENFREWSHIRE,
BY ADJOURNMENT.

TO be SOLD by public roup, within the Royal Exchange Coffee-house, Edinburgh, upon Wednesday, the 4th August 1784, betwixt the hours of five and six o'clock in the afternoon,

ALL and Whole the Lands of SOUTHBAR, (Easter and Wester), Lands of REDDEN, MAXWELLFIELD, TURNEY-LAND, CRAIGHEAD, and others, with the teinds, parsonage and vicarage, lying in the parish of Inchinnan and shire of Renfrew; and the Superiority of part of the lands of Bogtown, lying in the parish of Cathcart and shire of Renfrew.

These lands, exclusive of the above superiority, consist of 423 1/2 Scots acres, and upon the division of an adjacent moor, their share will amount to from 80 to 100 acres more, which will be a very valuable addition.

That part of the estate under lease yields at present 145 l. 10 s. 2 d. Sterling of free yearly rent; which will rise greatly upon the expiry of the current leases. Those parts of the lands which were in the proprietor's natural possession, and are presently out of lease, consist of 87 acres 3 rods, of the best ground in the estate, and being well inclosed and sheltered, and in excellent condition, are moderately estimated at twenty shillings per acre, making the annual value thereof 87 l. 15 s. 6 d. which, with the above rent payable by tenants, and 3 l. 7 s. 6 d. of feu-duties, makes the total free rent 236 l. 12 s. 8 d. Sterling, in which no value is put upon the moor-ground; and the tenants are bound to pay the whole cess payable out of the estate, without any deduction from their rents.

The proprietor has an heritable right to the teinds, and the minister of the parish of Inchinnan obtained an augmentation of the stipend about ten years ago.

Both upon the Lands of Easter and Wester Southbar, there is a good deal of natural wood. There are also upon the estate some large plantations, already considerably advanced, and in a thriving condition; and, upon the premises, there is a commodious modern mansion house and offices, pleasantly situated about a mile west from Inchinnan, upon the great road from Glasgow to Greenock, and within about three miles of the flourishing town of Paisley, where the produce of the estate always meets with a ready market.

The foreland lands hold blench of the Prince of Wales, and with the superiority of the foreland part of the lands of Bogtown, entitle the proprietor to a freehold qualification in the shire of Renfrew.

For further particulars, apply to William Keith accountant in Edinburgh, or Samuel Mitchelson, jun. writer to the signet, who will show the progress of writs, rental, and current leases; Mr Stewart, Schotmaister at Inchinnan, will show the lands; and Mr Keith has power to conclude a private bargain, at any time betwixt and the day of sale.

JUDICIAL SALE.

TO be SOLD, by authority of the Lords of Council and Session, within the Parliament or New Session House of Edinburgh, upon Thursday the 5th day of August 1784, betwixt the hours of four and five in the afternoon,

Lot I. All and Whole the Lands of SCALEHILL, and that part of Bogside called HERD'S BOGSIDE, with houses and pertinents, teinds, parsonage and vicarage of the same, lying in the parish of Tundergarth, shire of Annandale, and shire of Dumfries.

The yearly proven rent of these lands, including a dwelling-house, garden, &c. is L. 35 15 0

The feu-duty payable to the Viscount of Stormont, superior, is 4 11 0

So that there remains of free rent, L. 31 4 0

Which, valued at twenty-two years purchase, } L. 687 8 0

makes the upset-price of this lot to be

Lot II. A DEBT of L. 80 Sterling, constituted by heritable bond and infeftment, due to George Bell of Scalehill, the common debtor, by Archibald Douglas of Dornock, and the Balance of a personal Bond; for both of which Mr Bell is ranked as a creditor upon the estate of Dornock, extending together, at Candlemas 1784, with interest, to 196 l. 10 s. 5 d. Sterling, whereof full payment will be drawn.

The present tenant of Scalehill is bound by missive under his hand, in the event of a sale, to remove whenever required. A process of removing has accordingly been brought by the factor against him, as well as against the common debtor and his tenant, for a small part of the estate formerly in his natural possession (valued at 5 l. 15 s. yearly) set by him during the pendency of the ranking; both of which processes may probably be determined before the sale. There is no stipend payable out of these lands, nor any schoolmaster's salary. They consist of 160 acres or thereby, mostly dry arable land, pleasantly situated upon the banks of the water of Milk, within 200 or 300 yards of the great turnpike road from Gretna to Moffat, and may be improved at small expence, as they contain a very great quantity of shell-marle of the best quality, which can be easily raised, and is a scarce article in that part of the country.

Mungo Dobie, writer in Lockerby, the factor, will show the lands; and the title deeds, which are clear, and with the articles of roup, may be seen in the hands of Mr George Kirkpatrick depute clerk of session be John Syme, writer to the signet, Edinburgh.

BY ADJOURNMENT.
LANDS IN BERWICKSHIRE.

To be peremptorily Sold, by order of the Trustees of Mr BRATMER of Edrom.

TO be Sold by public roup, within John's Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 4th of August 1784, betwixt the hours of six and eight afternoon.

The Lands and Farm of NEWTON of EDROM, consisting of 339 acres English, one third whereof is well inclosed, and the other two thirds may be done at a very small expence, as all the out boundaries are already inclosed by the conterminous heritors.

The lands in general are exceedingly fertile either for grafs or corn, are well situated for lime, and are at present under tack, which expires at Whitsunday 1786.

The lands are pleasantly situated, being about three miles to the east of the town of Dunfer, and the great road from Dunfer to Eyemouth and Berwick runs through the lands. There is a good farm house and office houses upon the lands. They hold of the Crown.

The articles and conditions of roup, with the title-deeds, may be seen in the hands of John Bogue writer in Edinburgh, to whom any person inclining to purchase by private bargain may apply, or to Alexander Christie junior, writer in Dunfer.

To be SOLD by public roup, within the Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, upon Thursday the 6th day of August 1784, betwixt the hours of five and six afternoon.

THE Estate of BARSKEOCH, lying in the parishes of Dalry and Kells, and shire of Kirkcudbright; the gross rent whereof, without reckoning the value of grasslands, is about 837 l. and the deductions from the rental are under 30 l.

The estate will be sold altogether, or in the following lots, viz.

Lot I. The Lands of Garvorries, Drumblair, Lochsprag, Largmore, Glenrie, Dukieston, Burnhead, and Knockthead, all in the parish of Kells. Gross rent about 470 l. and the woods upon the lands are valued by persons of skill at 249 l. 6 s. 8 d.; uprice, price 10,000 l. There is a very promising appearance of lead in the lands of Lochsprag.

Notwithstanding not fold altogether, these lands will be exposed separately, as purchasers incline.

Lot II. The Mains of Earlstoun, with the Mansion-house and Offices, Salmon fishing, Mill, Maltures, Mill Lands, and Mill-town Park, lying in the parish of Dalry; and Mains of Barskeoch, Lands of Over Barskeoch, Cavan, Haunafon, Barchoak, and Cromiepark, lying in the parish of Kells;—the gross rent whereof is about 330 l.

There are extensive woods upon these lands, valued at 283 l. Upset price 9300 l.

Lot III. The Lands of Waterfide, and Ferry boat, with the Willow life and Greenloap, lying in the parish of Kells. Waterfide is at present possessed upon an old family lease, of which seventeen years are to run, at the low rent of 28 l. 13 s. 11 d. but are worth 200 l.; the woods are valued at 240 l. Upset price 1470 l. and afford a freehold-qualification upon the old extent.

For the encouragement of purchasers, the whole estate will be exposed to sale in one lot at 19,800 l.

The whole lands hold of the Crown, and consist of above 14,000 acres. The Mansion-house and office-houses are in good repair, surrounded with policy, and pleasantly situated on the river Kenn, which near the house forms a beautiful cascade, and a little below there is an excellent salmon-fishing. The lands afford three freehold-qualifications, besides the one upon Waterfide. The farm-houses are in good repair; the teinds of the whole estate are valued, and the title-deeds quite clear, and a search of incumbrances can be shown.

The rental, valuation of woods, state of grasslands paid, progress of writs, and articles of sale, to be seen in the hands of John Syme, writer to the signet; to whom, or to David Ruffel accountant, application may be made for further particulars. Mr Newell, the proprietor, at Earlstoun, will show the lands and plan of the estate. Persons inclining to make a private bargain may make proposals to any of these Gentlemen.

JUDICIAL SALE OF
LANDS IN THE COUNTY OF PERTH.

TO be SOLD by public roup, under authority of the Lords of Council and Session, within the Parliament or new Session House of Edinburgh, on Tuesday the 10th day of August 1784, betwixt the hours of four and eight in the afternoon, before the Lord Ordinary on the bills,

The Lands and Estate of KILGRASTOWN, which pertained to the deceased John Craigie of Kilgrastown, lying in the parishes of Dumbarnie, Dron, and Abernethy, and shire of Perth.

This estate consists of 1754 acres 1 rood and 32 falls, all conveniently and pleasantly situated within a few miles of the town of Perth, and the late proprietor beautified the place with extensive plantations and policies. There is a commodious Dwelling-house upon the estate, which is within three miles of the town of Perth, and about a quarter of a mile west from the Bridge of Earn; and there are a complete set of offices lately built thereon.

The yearly proven rent of the estate, after deduction of the feu-duties, public burdens, and the valued teind of such parts of the estate as lie in the parishes of Dron and Dumbarnie, out of which last the stipends to the ministers of Dron and Dumbarnie fall to be paid, is, L. 1275 14 8 11-12ths

Which valued at twenty-six years purchase, extends to L. 33,169 3 3 10-12ths

Being the upset-price of the estate.

This estate comprehends the following Lands, viz.

I. The Lands of KILGRASTOWN, whereon the mansion-house and offices stand, and part of the lands of KINTULLO, lying within the parish of Dumbarnie, and upon the west side of the turnpike-road leading from Perth to Kinross; pleasantly situated along the fourth side of the water of Earn, immediately to the west of the bridge of Earn, and are all inclosed and subdivided. The tenants houses are in good order; the soil is of a rich quality, and the grounds are in excellent good condition. This part of the estate consists of 574 acres 3 rods and 17 falls, part whereof is agreeably laid out in woods and plantations, which are in a healthy and thriving condition.

II. That part of the Lands of Kintullo, Broomfolds, Clayton, and others, with the salmon fishing upon the water of Earn, lying in the parish of Dumbarnie, and upon the east side of the turnpike road leading from Perth to Kinross.—These lands consist of 394 acres, 3 rods, 34 falls, and lie pleasantly along the south side of the water of Earn, immediately to the east of the Bridge of Earn, and are all inclosed and subdivided. The tenants houses are all in good condition, and the soil is of a rich quality. They hold of the Crown, and entitle the proprietor to vote in the election for the county of Perth. Part of these lands is also beautifully laid out in woods and plantations, which are in a very thriving condition.

III. The Lands of Kirkpottie, Meikle Fiddies, and Clockridgstone, lying contiguous within the parish of Dron, and consisting of 676 acres 1 rood and 36 falls; 264 acres 3 rods and 9 falls whereof have been planted in the view of building a Mansion-house upon this part of the estate. These plantations are in high order. The lands hold of the Crown, and are valued in the C&B-books of the county at 260 l. Scots.

IV. The Lands of Halltown, with the fishing of Cordon, upon the water of Earn, lying within the parish of Abernethy, and in the neighbourhood of the lands of Kirkpottie, &c. above mentioned. This farm consists of 61 acres, 2 rods, and 21 falls.

These two parcels of the estate last mentioned, are situated within 4 miles of the town of Perth, and two miles of the bridge of Earn.

The articles of roup are to be seen at the office of Mr John Callander, Depute-Clerk of Session; and the progress of writs, rentals, and plans of the estate, will be shown by William Lumdaine, clerk to the signet. John Rutherford, jun. writer in Perth, the present factor, will also show rentals of the estate; and William Chalmers at Kilgrastown, will show the grounds.